**Texas Governor’s Committee on People with Disabilities**

**LEX FRIEDEN EMPLOYMENT AWARDS ENTRY FORM**

**Martha Arbuckle Category**

*Deadline for nominations is* ***August 12***

**Nominee:**

**Website address** (*if applicable*)**:**

**Category: Martha Arbuckle Award**

The Martha Arbuckle Award recognizes the most innovative local committee project, and is presented in memory of Austin's long-time disability advocate Martha Arbuckle.

*Self-nominations are encouraged.*

(1) **Describe your Local Committee’s most innovative program related to disability issues.**

(2) **Describe how this effort has enhanced the quality of life for Texans with disabilities.**

(3) **Identify key steps to describe how this program could be implemented by organizations in other communities.**

**Nominee Information**

Name of Local Committee:

Type of Committee (Mayor’s Committee, Community Organization, Non-Profit, etc):

Committee Chair or Primary Contact:

Mailing Address:

City, State, Zip:

Daytime Phone:

Email Address:

Website Address (*if available*):

**Nominator Information** (*if this is not a self-nomination*)

Name of Nominator:

Street Address:

City, State, Zip:

Daytime Phone:

Email Address:

***You are encouraged to include supplementary materials for your awards entry by email or postal mail. Ex: local media coverage, brochures, photos, letters of recommendation, etc.***

***Testimonials from employees or customers with disabilities are encouraged, but please obtain written permission to use information and photos used in the submission; do not disclose confidential information.***

*Deadline for submissions is July 15*

*Please be aware that all information that you submit to the Office of the Governor is subject to public disclosure under the Texas Public Information Act.*

***Please send this completed form by email (preferred) OR by postal mail to:***

**Email:**

**GCPD@gov.texas.gov**

[**http://gov.texas.gov/disabilities/awards/employment\_awards/**](http://gov.texas.gov/disabilities/awards/employment_awards/)

**Postal mail:**

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